

SEVEN BY THUGS IN HIS HALLWAY

John Hogan Dying in Lincoln Hospital as a Result of Attack by Gang, Whose Leader He Had Punished.

HAD CAUGHT THE MAN CHEATING AT DICE.

Roughs Had Key of House and Lay in Wait in Dark Hallway, Beating Victim Unmercifully and Also Robbing Him.

John Hogan, a young man, twenty years old, the sole support of his widowed mother and two brothers, with whom he lived at No. 223 Willis avenue, the Bronx, is dying in the Lincoln Hospital as the result of a brutal attack made upon him in the hallway of his home as he returned from work to-day.

The thugs who beat and robbed young Hogan are members of a gang whose leader was thrashed by Hogan Sunday night when the fellow was cheating a number of young boys in a game of craps.

John Hogan is all that a son and brother could be, and those who know him in the neighborhood of his home have none but words of praise to speak of him.

He has been employed for a number of years by the Harlem News Company and is an active member of the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Church, near his home.

For many months Hogan has been the object of scorn of the members of a gang of roughs who live in his neighborhood, but because of his remarkable physical strength few have ever cared to do more than taunt him at a safe distance.

This gang is led by Mickey Carney, who has gained no little notoriety in Harlem from his connection with the "Growler Gang." The police practically broke up that gang and Carney went up to the Bronx and associated himself with another band of toughs.

Boys in Crap Game.

On Sunday evening Hogan heard that a number of small boys were being played in a building where a crap game was going on.

He entered the place, and found Carney and a number of associates playing craps with a score or more boys of half their age.

The gang told him to get out of the place, but he ignored their threats, and finally, when he saw that Carney was openly cheating in the game, he accused him of it.

Carney resented the accusation and a fight followed, in which, despite his reputation as a slugger, he was badly beaten.

As he slunk away after the fight he said: "If you think you're going to come your goodness over you've got another guess. Some fine night you'll find yourself down 'out' and don't you forget it."

Other members of the gang made similar threats and were only deterred from executing them by fear of the police and Hogan's many friends.

The young man said nothing about these threats until last night when he went to work. He then said to his mother: "I'm afraid of that gang. They may give it to me to-day."

His mother advised him to arm himself, but he replied that he thought he could take care of himself and that he would avoid dark corners and narrow streets.

Were Hiding in Hallway.

He got home from his work at 4.30 o'clock this morning. He lives on the fourth floor of the Willis avenue flat. As he placed the key in the front door there was not a person astr in the neighborhood.

He slowly opened the door and entered the dark hallway. He had taken but a few steps when two men jumped from the shadow of the hall and attacked him with clubs.

He attempted to beat them off, when a third man came up behind him and struck him to the floor with a sand bag or black jack.

The young man continued his struggle with his assailants until he was finally beaten into unconsciousness. He lay bleeding in the hallway for an hour before his eighteen-year-old brother Martin found him.

None in the house had heard any noise of a struggle.

The three thugs must have had a key to the door of the house, for after they left Hogan lying on the floor they went out and locked the door after them.

Before leaving their victim, however, they robbed him of \$12, his pay, that he was bringing home to his mother. The pocketbook, torn and ripped in haste by the robbers, was found in the lower hallway of the house. The door to this hallway was also locked, so the robbers must have had a key to that.

JOHN HOGAN, VICTIM OF THUGS, WHO ATTACKED HIM AT HIS HOME.



John Hogan

BARBERS HAVE NEW SET OF RULES NOW

When in Doubt They Must Wash Their Hands, and Sponges and Powder-Puffs Have Been Banished for All Time.

One of The Evening World reporters got shaved to-day.

This in itself is not so very important, but the fact that he was one of the first to have a barber's attention under the new regulations of the State Board of Examiners is worthy of note.

Formerly when the reporter had lots of time to kill a shave took about eight minutes. When he had a hurry assignment he could skip out of the torture chair in four minutes or less.

To-day it took just seventeen minutes. So much for the new regulations. They will commend themselves to the crank on hygiene, but not to the man in a hurry.

As the reporter slid into the chair in a Park Row "tonsorial parlor" he remarked "Shave, please." Francesco George, the attendant, took a peek at the man who had passed up beside the mirror and then sat down.

"Now I washed my hands after I got through with the last man," the reporter heard the man cogitating; "so, must I wash them again? I have washed my hands with soap and hot water at least forty-eight times to-day and they're getting sore."

So the man with a blue cap looked in at the door and Francesco gashed to the hot water.

"I'll bet that's an inspector," he murmured, "so I'll be on the safe side. There's Rule No. 1."

Observed Rule No. 2.

Then he washed out the general cup with hot water and got ready for the first of the ordeal. Rule No. 2 had been observed.

Looking again for the printed rule for guidance, Francesco sterilized the brush and proceeded to lather the victim's face. Carefully stopping the razor with loud noise—perhaps in anticipation of the attack. His former diet of milk alone ceased to agree with him, so I combined it with an expensive infant's food, but he soon became very much constipated.

"Then I shifted to Grape-Nuts food and found that this was just what baby needed, adding it to his milk after softening in hot water. Baby thrived upon this food and is now healthy and strong and chubby as any mother could wish, which you know is saying a great deal."

"It did not take me long to find out that a saucer of Grape-Nuts and cream is just what is needed by the tired, nervous mother, and I have also proved to my own satisfaction that when the children are old enough to chew Grape-Nuts it is far better for them than oatmeal or any other mushy foods, for it develops their teeth and helps their digestion and their minds seem much brighter and more active, too."

"Truly here is a wonderful food and one for the entire family." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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FOUND OUT What a Mother Found Out About Food.

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SULTAN ORDERS ARRESTS FOR ATTACK ON CONSUL

Five Prisoners Taken at Beirut as First Step in Punishment of Band Who Shot at Magelssen—Minister Leishman, Backed with Warships, Will Force Satisfaction for Other Offenses.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 1.—The Porte has notified Minister Leishman that five arrests have been made at Beirut in connection with the shooting which led to the report that William C. Magelssen, the United States Vice and Deputy Consul there, had been assassinated.

The Turkish officials continue to insist that no attempt was made on the Vice-Consul's life, and they reassert that the whole story originated in a feu-de-joie fired on the occasion of a native marriage and in accordance with custom.

Mr. Leishman, however, refuses to accept such an explanation without conclusive proof that the judicial investigation continues.

The attempt to burn the American College at Kharput occurred five weeks ago and, apparently, was the work of an individual who considered he had a grievance against the college authorities.

When Mr. Leishman was informed of the attempt he demanded that the Porte protect the American institution, and in consequence of his representations, instructions were sent to the authorities at Kharput to try in the regular courts to charges against fifty Armenians accused of trafficking in arms and engaging in other seditious acts.

Among the accused is Prof. Tenekdjian, of the American College, whose treatment in prison pending his trial was also ordered to be improved.

Mr. Leishman is pressing for a definite settlement of a number of matters on which agreements were reached with the Turkish authorities last year, but which, in spite of frequent promises on the part of the Porte, have never been executed.

Diplomatic circles here generally approve of the energetic action of the United States, which, it is pointed out, is amply justified by the bad faith of Turkey, and it is felt here that the appearance of the United States warships in Turkish waters will lead to the immediate settlement of the pending disputes.

CRUISERS SIGHTED ON THE RUN TO TURKISH WATERS.

MESSINA, Sicily, Sept. 1.—The United States cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco passed through the Straits of Messina at 11.20 A. M. to-day, bound south. The semaphore saluted the warships, wishing them good luck.

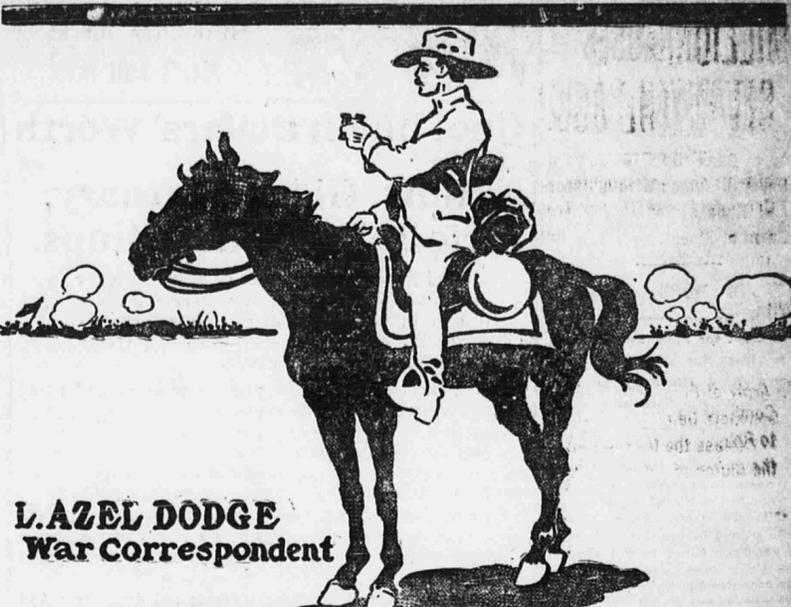
HAY GETS OFFICIAL NEWS OF ATTACK ON MAGELSEN.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—The first official despatch coming directly from Beirut regarding the Magelssen affair has been received by Secretary Hay. It is dated Aug. 31 and is signed by Consul Ravndall. It says: "The attempt on Magelssen's life failed utterly. A narrow escape, but the Vice-Consul suffered no injury."

TURKS DEFEAT REBELS, THEN MASSACRE PEOPLE OF TOWN.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Sept. 1.—A strong force of Turkish infantry, cavalry and artillery recently attacked the village of Stolovo, northward of Malkoternovo, which had been occupied by insurgents. The latter retired, after which the Turks entered the place, massacred the entire population and destroyed the village.

Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has arrived at Euxinograd, Bulgaria, where he has been joined by Premier Petroff. The Prince is expected to remain there for some time.



L. AZEL DODGE War Correspondent

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"I think it my duty to Dr. Greene to write this letter, which he can publish if he so wishes, that others may know what will cure them. My advice to all is not to be deluded into buying something else when told that it is as good as Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy when it is not."

(Signed) L. AZEL DODGE, 39 Gardner St., Worcester, Mass.

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- 45 Dozen Men's "STAR" NEGLIGEE SHIRTS. Made from the finest imported materials, also many of pure silks; former prices \$3.00 and \$4.00.....
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- Imported MEN'S UNDERWEAR. French and German makes, in white and blue lisle, and Air texture pique; former prices \$1.50 and \$2.00..... 75c
- Men's FRENCH BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR. Summer weight, white lisle and Otis fancy baibriggan; former prices 50c. and 75c. 25c
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